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***"AN ACT CONCERNING THE DISSOLUTION PROCESS OF  
REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICTS."***

1 After the last section, add the following and renumber sections and  
2 internal references accordingly:

3 "Sec. 501. Subsection (b) of section 10-66dd of the general statutes is  
4 repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective*  
5 *July 1, 2011*):

6 (b) (1) Subject to the provisions of this subsection and except as may  
7 be waived pursuant to subsection (d) of section 10-66bb, charter  
8 schools shall be subject to all federal and state laws governing public  
9 schools.

10 (2) At least one-half of the persons providing instruction or pupil  
11 services in a charter school shall possess the proper certificate other  
12 than (A) a certificate issued pursuant to subdivision (1) of subsection  
13 (c) of section 10-145b, or (B) a temporary certificate issued pursuant to  
14 subsection (c) of section 10-145f on the day the school begins operation

15 and the remaining persons shall possess a certificate issued pursuant  
16 to said subdivision (1) or such temporary certificate on such day,  
17 except that the Commissioner of Education may waive the  
18 requirements of this subdivision upon a showing of good cause and  
19 teacher effectiveness for any person who does not possess the proper  
20 certification.

21 (3) The commissioner may not waive the provisions of chapters 163c  
22 and 169 and sections 10-15c, 10-153a to 10-153g, inclusive, 10-153i, 10-  
23 153j, 10-153m and 10-292.

24 (4) The state charter school governing council shall act as a board of  
25 education for purposes of collective bargaining. The school  
26 professionals employed by a local charter school shall be members of  
27 the appropriate bargaining unit for the local or regional school district  
28 in which the local charter school is located and shall be subject to the  
29 same collective bargaining agreement as the school professionals  
30 employed by said district. A majority of those employed or to be  
31 employed in the local charter school and a majority of the members of  
32 the governing council of the local charter school may modify, in  
33 writing, such collective bargaining agreement, consistent with the  
34 terms and conditions of the approved charter, for purposes of  
35 employment in the charter school.

36 (5) The commissioner may waive the requirements of chapter 166  
37 for any administrator of a charter school who demonstrates  
38 effectiveness and permit such administrator to supervise any person  
39 providing instruction or pupil services in such charter school."